

UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

| 97 | (For new Non-provisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b)) | , <u> </u> |
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is a new utility patent application of inventor(s): Rob J. Sagasser, Jens Blütling and Rainer Käsinger and entitled: INSERT FOR HEAT EXCHANGER TUBE.

| <u>Ap</u> | <u>plicati</u> | on Elements: | | | | | |
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| 1. | | Applicant claims small entity status (See 37 CFR 1.27.) | | | | | |
| 2. | ፟ | Specification containing 15 pages. | | | | | |
| 3. | ⊠ | Drawings: 2 Sheets of □ formal drawings ⊠ informal drawings | | | | | |
| 4. | <u>⊠</u> a. b. c. | Oath or Declaration ☐ An executed declaration or oath for the utility patent application including a power of attorney, ☐ An unexecuted declaration or oath for the utility patent application including a power of attorney; ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d), for continuation/divisional with No. 17 completed. i. ☐ Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application (see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b). | | | | | |
| 5. | ՛⊠ | Application Data Sheet (See 37 CFR 1.76.) | | | | | |
| 6. | 므 | CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix). | | | | | |
| 7. | <u> </u> | Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary). □ Computer Readable Form (CFR) □ Specification Sequence Listing on: i. □ CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or ii. □ Paper □ Statements verifying identity of above copies. | | | | | |

Accompanying Application Parts:

8. Assignment Papers (cover sheet, document(s) and requisite fee).

| 9. | <u> </u> | 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (where there is an assignee) □ Power of Attorney | | | | | | | | |
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| 10. | <u> </u> | English Translation document (if applicable) | | | | | | | | |
| 11. | <u></u> | Information Disclosure Statement (IDS), including PTO-1449 ☐ Copies of IDS Citations | | | | | | | | |
| 12. | <u> </u> | Preliminary Amendment | | | | | | | | |
| 13. | ՛⊠ | Return Postcard for PTO Mail Room Date Stamp (should be specifically itemized). | | | | | | | | |
| 14. | ⊠ | Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (if foreign priority is claimed). (DE 103 04 692.5) | | | | | | | | |
| 15. | 旦 | Request and Certification For Nonpublication Under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 or its equivalent. | | | | | | | | |
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